



TOWN OF ANDOVER

JULY 2018 - JUNE 2019

RECYCLING & TRASH COLLECTION GUIDE FOR RESIDENTS

**** CHANGES IN RECYCLING ****

ITEMS NO LONGER ACCEPTABLE IN CURBSIDE RECYCLING

- RECYCLABLES MARKED #6 IN ANY FORM
 - PIZZA BOXES
 - SHREDDED PAPER
- PLEASE SEE PAGE 4 FOR MORE DETAILS**

Public Works

The Departments of Public Works consists of the following divisions: Spring Grove Cemetery, Engineering, Facilities & Field Rentals, Forestry, Highway, Parks & Grounds, Sewer Collection, Recycling & Solid Waste, Vehicle Maintenance, Water Treatment and Distribution.

RECYCLING BINS

Blue, 18 gallon Recycling Bins may be picked up at the Water Treatment Plant located at 397 Lowell St.



TIP: You can use any container you choose for recycling as long as it weights less than 50lbs when full and is clearly marked as recycling with 2 Red Recycle Stickers affixed, one on each side, also available at the Water Treatment Plant.

DO NOT RECYCLE PLASTIC BAGS CURBSIDE

May be recycled at participating retailers

To avoid contaminating the recycling stream, **DO NOT place plastic bags OF ANY KIND** in your recycling bin or use them to bag items.

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RULES & REGULATIONS - PLEASE SEE INSIDE

MISSED PICKUPS / COMPLAINTS

Contact Republic Services 800-442-9006 or Use our Public Works Request System found on the Town's website at: AndoverMA.Gov/WorkRequest

QUESTIONS ABOUT RECYCLING OR TRASH DISPOSAL IN ANDOVER?

Please call DPW at 978-623-8700 or email at Recycle@AndoverMa.us



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CURBSIDE REGULATIONS

- All trash and recycling must be curbside by 7:00 AM
- Truck routes and schedules are subject to change without notice during the day
- Trash is collected weekly - Recycling is collected bi-weekly
- Trash on private property will NOT be picked up
- Recycling or Trash buried under snow WILL NOT be picked up
- Yard waste is collected seasonally, 6 weeks in the spring, 6 weeks in the fall - Please see page 3 for details
- Weather related delays, call 978-623-8700, or sign up for CodeRed for automatic notices (visit AndoverMA.Gov/CodeRed for more information on CodeRed)
- Collections following Holidays will be one day later. Please see pages 6 & 7 for the schedule
- NO TRASH OR RECYCLING CONTAINER MAY EVER WEIGH MORE THAN 50 POUNDS AT ANY TIME

TRASH COLLECTION

Containers: The Town does not supply trash containers. Residents are free to use whatever containers they choose as long as they weigh less than 50lbs when full (drivers manually lift containers). Residents may also place bags curbside.

Limits: Household trash is limited to 4 bags or barrels, no more than 50 pounds each, or the equivalent of 135 gallons maximum per residence. NO "Business" trash accepted.

Bulky Items: Residents are also allowed one bulk item per week as part of their regular trash service. Please see page 6 for more details.

Bundled Branches: Residents Twigs/branches are allowed in the weekly trash pickup, (subject to limitation of 3-4 bundles) Please see page 6 for more details.

The following **CANNOT** be put curbside for trash collection:

- Construction/Demo Debris
- Appliances/White Goods
- TV's and Electronics
- Treadmills
- Oil Based Paint, Varnishes, Solvents
- Hazardous Waste (see Page 9)
- **Wet** Latex Paint/Cans (see Page 3)
- Yard Waste (a separate collection -See page 3)
- Lawn Mowers
- Recyclables
- Lead Acid or Lithium Batteries
- Items Containing Mercury

See page 8 for more details on Mercury and Batteries

To learn more about MASSDEP Waste Bans
Visit: mass.gov/guides/massdep-waste-disposal-bans

CURBSIDE

ITEMS WITH SPECIFIC PREPARATION/CONSIDERATION

BULKY ITEMS

Residents are allowed ONE bulky item per week with their regular household trash. Bulky items include, but not limited to: sofa, loveseat, chairs, recliners, arm-chair, mattress and box-spring set, table, desk, bookcase, carpeting.

***Treadmills are NOT considered a Bulky Item**

***Construction Debris is NOT considered a Bulky Item**

CARPETING PREPARATION:

Carpet must be cut into 3'-4' widths, rolled then taped or roped together and each bundle must weigh less than 50lbs. Loose carpeting will not be accepted.

****One Room Carpet = One Bulky Item****

GRILLS

Freestanding grills can be put out as your one bulk item. Propane tanks, charcoal or any other **fuel MUST BE REMOVED.**

LATEX PAINT

Latex paint (or any paint cleaned with soap and water) is accepted with your trash if **completely dried:**

- Remove cover and allow paint to dry
- Place stick inside can and stir occasionally to eliminate skin formation and to aid drying time
- For faster drying; add kitty litter or commercially available drying agents to paint
- **Cover must be removed when placed curbside** so that the dried paint is visible

SMOKE DETECTORS

Smoke detectors can be disposed of in your trash. **Please do not bring to HHW or CRT collections.** Return to Manufacturer for recycling.

BUNDLED BRANCHES

Twigs/branches are allowed in the weekly trash pickup, (subject to limitation of 3-4 bundles) and must be bundled with tape or rope as follows:

- Up to 6" in diameter
- 50# or less
- up to 4' in length
- No foliage

***Do not put in bags**

CHRISTMAS TREES

Christmas Trees will be collected the same day as trash collection as your weekly bulk item (one per week)

- Please remove all decorations and place tree curbside with your regular trash
- Trees over 7' in height must be cut in half
- Trees frozen in snow banks will not be picked up. There is no start/stop dates for collecting trees

Note: The holiday season results in the highest trash volume of the year. Trash must take priority over trees if volumes, weather or other factor threaten the completion of daily trash routes. Trees left will be pick up at a later date.

RAW WOOD (Untreated)

Raw Wood consists of any unused, untreated wood product void of paint, stain, varnish, nails, screws, etc. Removing nails does not return it to RAW WOOD. No Plywood, Pressure treated wood or Fences of any kind. The specifications for bundling raw wood are the same as bundled branches (see specifications above).

CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION

YARD WASTE - seasonal

Curbside leaf collection will occur for 6 weeks in the fall and 6 weeks in the spring:

FALL - the 5 weeks before Thanksgiving and one week following Thanksgiving week. **NO collection during the week of the Thanksgiving holiday**

Leaves accepted ONLY if:

- In open barrels or -
- brown paper leaf compost bags
- Each bag/barrel weighs 50 pounds or less
- **NO PLASTIC BAGS**

Did you Know - Andover has a compost site that accepts leaves, grass clippings and brush? View page 9 for more information!

SPRING—the 5 weeks before Memorial Day and the week of Memorial Day. Please see Pages 6 & 7 for the calendar

Please Note:

- The leaf collection truck is a **separate truck** than the household trash truck
- During High volume weeks, collections can sometimes fall behind. Please **leave your bags/ barrels curbside** until they are collected to avoid a missed pickup

**** CHANGES IN RECYCLING ****

These Items **No LONGER** accepted in Andover's Curbside Recycling

RECYCLABLES MARKED #6 IN ANY FORM

Commonly associated with the trade name Styrofoam in its expanded form, #6 is used to make a variety of products including but not limited to disposable plates, cups (coffee and other beverages), cutlery, meat trays, egg cartons, carry-out containers, aspirin bottles, compact disc cases, petri dishes and hangers.

****PLEASE PLACE ANY #6 PLASTIC IN YOUR TRASH, OR RECYCLE #6 VIA PRIVATE PROGRAMS.**

PIZZA BOXES

To help reduce contamination, pizza boxes will no longer be accepted. Please place all pizza boxes in your trash regardless of condition.

SHREDDED PAPER

Shredded paper is too small to sort—the pieces fall through the cracks of the sorting machines, stick to the belts and end up all over the floor. Please avoid shredding when possible because it destroys the potential for recycling. Please put in your trash or place in your home compost pile/bin.

Challenges in the Recycling Industry

What's happening? As recycling costs are rising, the demand for recycled materials is falling and Haulers, Material Recovery Facilities (MRF's) and Municipalities nationwide are feeling the pinch. To combat these challenges, many waste management companies are implementing changes to reduce contamination to help produce an end product they are able to sell.

Why is this happening? Recyclables are commodities. Commodity revenues are not enough to cover the cost of collection. Stricter import rules in China are adding complications to already stressed recycling industry. Contamination, light-weighting and the lack of end markets or even negative values on some commodities have resulted in a depressed market for recyclable products. Now, with China no longer accepting some materials as of January 2018 and a lower contamination standard (.5%) which officially went into force at the beginning of March 2018 for the remaining materials, facilities have been forced to slow their operations and add more labor to produce materials in a volatile market.

What can I do? Please view our guide carefully and refrain from putting items in the recycle stream that are not acceptable; No "aspirational recycling" or "wishcycling" If you are not sure if is recyclable curbside, please check the guide, contact Public Works or put it in your trash.

DO

- Reduce/refuse single use items when possible
- Buy products made from recycled materials
- Ensure all items are EMPTY CLEAN and DRY
- Keep items out of the bin that don't belong
- Rinse and dry items before placing in your bin

DON'T

- Bag recyclables or put plastic bags/wraps in your bin
- Put unacceptable items in your bin
- Put liquids, food waste or items containing such in your bin
- Place ropes, cords or other "tangles" on or in your bin

RECYCLING COLLECTION

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING *(Residents may also separate materials if preferred for organizational purposes)*

Allowable items of Mixed Paper, Glass, Plastic and Metals may be combined in a Blue Bin or personal container(s) with Red Recycling Stickers (see below). **PLASTIC BAGS ARE NOT AN ACCEPTABLE CONTAINER.**

Containers: Blue, 18 gallon Recycling Bins may be picked up at the Water Treatment Plant located at 397 Lowell Street. Larger personal containers (such as a 30 gallon trash barrel) or wheeled carts may be used, **with total weight less than 50 pounds and Two(2) Red Recycling Stickers** on the outside. Red Stickers may be obtained for free at the Water Treatment Plant, 397 Lowell St. (Rt. 133).

Limits: There is NO LIMIT on curbside recycling but each container or bundle must weigh less than 50lbs

Cardboard: Please break down, remove any tape or packing materials, flatten and fold boxes, cartons & other pieces of cardboard into **3' x 3' x 2' bundles** (must weigh less than 50lbs), then tie or tape them together & place next to your bin. *Boxes not broken down will NOT be picked up.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

****Attention - PLEASE KEEP THESE ITEMS OUT OF YOUR BIN!****

- Any item marked #6
- Pizza Boxes
- Shredded Paper
- Plastic Bags, Wraps or Pouches
- Foods and Liquids
- Any Item With Food Residue

- Coffee Cups (all types)
- Garden Hoses, String Lights or other "Tanglers"
- Clothing or Linens
- Napkins, Tissues, towels or Wipes

All Items must be: EMPTY - CLEAN - DRY

MATERIAL	WHAT TO RECYCLE	HOW TO PREPARE	DO NOT INCLUDE
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METAL



- Deposit and Non-Deposit beverage Cans
- Steel/Tin Cans
- Aluminum Pie Plates and Trays (MUST BE CLEAN & DRY)

- Rinse Clean
- Labels OK
- Do Not Flatten

- Other Metal items
- Aluminum Foil
- Paint Cans
- Aerosol Cans
- Coat hangers
- Metal Cookware

GLASS



- Beverage Containers
- Glass Food Jars

- Rinse Clean
- Collar, neck rings & labels OK

- Broken Glass
- Mirrors
- Ceramics (Plates, Cookware)
- Drinking Glasses
- Light Bulbs
- Windows

Glass will **continue** to be collected curbside until further notice

PLASTIC



- Plastic Beverage Bottles
- Detergent Bottles
- Laundry & Toiletry Bottles
- Plastic Milk, Juice and Water Jugs

- Rinse Clean
- Labels OK
- Caps On (no loose caps)
- No Straws

Must have Recycling Triangle!



- **Any Item marked #6**
- Plastic Bags/Wraps
- Styrofoam
- Rigid Plastics
- Chemical, Motor Oil other hazardous Waste Containers
- Food-soiled Containers/Cups
- Plastic Utensils

CARDBOARD



- Cardboard Boxes
- Poster Board
- Milk /Beverage Cartons
- Cereal & Pasta Boxes
- Frozen Food Boxes
- File Folders

Breakdown, flatten and fold boxes, cartons & other pieces of cardboard into **3' x 3' x 2'** bundles

then tie or tape them together & place next to your bin!

- Styrofoam (Packaging Peanuts, Large Pieces, Etc.)
- Pizza Boxes—To reduce contamination, **pizza boxes will no longer be accepted**

PAPER



- Newspapers
- Magazines, Catalogs
- Junk Mail, Envelopes
- Books, Phone Books
- Paper Bags
- Office/Computer Paper
- Boxboard—remove liners

- Remove hard-covers from books
- Remove any plastic cards or wraps
- Place in paper bags for easy handling

- Food-soiled Paper, Boxes, Plates or Cups

- **Shredded Paper**

Tip: Got junk mail? Register on the [National Do Not Mail List](http://NationalDoNotMailList.com) to opt out of unwanted advertising mail. Visit Directmail.com or page 11 for more info.

****NO PLASTIC BAGS • DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES!****

WEEK "A" RECYCLING COLLECTION (shaded area on calendar)

MONDAY

Applecrest Rd.
Avon St.
Barnard St.
Barrington Dr.
Bartlett St.
Brookfield Rd.
Buchan Rd.
Burton Farm Dr.
Cabot Rd.
Carmel Rd.
Cedar Rd.
Chapman Ave.
Cheever Circle
Chestnut St. & Ct.
Chickering Ct.
Coolidge Rd.
Dallan Rd.
Dearborn Ln.
Downing St.
Dwight St.
Elm Ct.
Elm St.
Elysian Dr.
Florence St.
Foster Circle
Fox Hill Rd.
Gudrun Dr.
Harding St.
Hartigan Ct.
Heather Dr.
High St. (Elm to Walnut)
Highland Ave.
Highland Rd.
Highland Wayside
Howell Dr.
Ivanhoe Ln.
Johnson Rd.
Judson Rd.
Kathleen Dr.
Lockway Rd.
Lucerne Dr.
Maple Ave. & Ct.
Marie Dr.
Memorial Circle
Morton St. (Main to Chestnut)
Napier Rd.
Park St.
Parnassus Pl.
Pasho St.
Pine St.
Prospect Rd.
Punchard Ave.
Robandy Rd.
Rock Ridge Rd.
Rogers Brook (East & West)
Salem St. (from Main to Rt.125)
Sherry Dr.
Shipman Dr.
Stevens Circle
Stone Post Rd.
Stonehedge Rd.
Stratford Rd.
Summer St.
Tanglewood Way
Temple Pl.
Twin Brook
Upland Rd.
Walnut Ave.
Wardhill Ln.
Washington Ave.
Watson Ave.
Westwind Rd.
Wheeler St.
Whittier St. & Ct.
Wolcott Ave.
Woodcliff Rd.
Woodland Rd.

TUESDAY

Abbott Bridge Dr.
Abbot St.
Alden Rd.
Anderson Circle
Baker Ln.
Ballardvale Rd.
Bayberry Ln.
Blackberry Ln.
Brook St.
Buxton Ct.
Central Ln.
Chapman Ave.
Chestnut St.
Chippy Ln.
Cider Hill Way
Colonial Dr.
Cullen Circle
Danforth Circle
Eastman Dr.
Essex St.
Forbes Ln.
Gardner Ave.
Gradall Ln.
Hammond Way
Hartford Circle
Henderson Ave.
Hidden Field
Hidden Rd.
Jefferson Ln.
Karlton Circle
Lantern Rd.
Lewis St.
Livingston Circle
Locke St.
Lupine Rd.
Mackenzie Ct.
Main & So. Main (from No. Reading Line to Harding)
Manning Way
Marion Ave.
McDonald Circle
Millstone Circle
Morton St. (School to Main)
Nutmeg Ln.
Old South Ln.
Orchard Crossing
Paddock Ln.
Patriot Dr.
Pearson St.
Phillips St.
Porter Rd.
Prides Circle
Prides Ln.
Railroad St.
Ridge St.
School St.
So. Main & Main (from No. Reading Line to Harding)
Spring Grove Rd.
Spruce Circle
Sunset Rock Rd. (Hidden to Ballardvale)
Sweeney Ct.
Teaberry Ln.
Tilton Ln.
Timothy Dr.
Torr St.
West Hollow
Woburn St.
Willoughby Ln.
Winterberry Lane
Wyncrest Circle

WEDNESDAY

Andover St. (Dascomb to Red Spring Rd.)
Apache Way
Argilla Rd.
Bateson Dr.
Birch Rd.
Blood Rd.
Cattle Crossing
Cricket Circle
Cuba St.
Cutler Rd.
Dawn Circle
Delisio Dr.
Dorset Circle
Fairfax Dr.
Farmland Circle
Hemlock Rd.
Heritage Ln.
Hickory Ln.
High Plain Rd. (Beacon to Greenwood)
Holly Terr.
Homestead Circle
Lowell St. (Beacon to Lovejoy)
Mayflower Rd.
Meadowview Ln.
Midland Circle
Miles Circle
Moraine St.
Newman Hill Dr.
Nob Hill Circle
Oriole Dr.
Penacook Pl.
Pilgrim Dr.
Pioneer Circle
Pondview Pl.
Poplar Terr.
Red Spring Rd.
Rennie Dr.
Reservation Rd.
Robinswood Way
Rolling Ridge Rd.
Rose Glen Dr.
Ruggiero Way
Serenity Ln.
Shirley Rd.
Spencer Ct.
Standish Cir.
Strawberry Hill Rd.
Sweetbriar Ln.
Thresher Rd.
Turner Circle
Virginia Rd.
West Parish Dr.
Whispering Pines Dr.
Wild Rose Dr.
Windemere Dr.

THURSDAY

Apollo Circle
Ashbury Ln.
Beacon St.
Bedford Pl.
Belle Isle Way
Brundrett Ave.
Chandler Rd.
Chongris Cir.
Christian Way
Cloverfield Dr.
Dairy Ln.
Dandelion Dr.
Donald Circle
Dorset Way
Fun Flight Circle
Furnari Farm Ln.
Gemini Circle
Gleason St.
Greenmeadow Ln.
Greenwood Rd. (High Plain to North)
Hawthorne Circle
Inwood Ln.
Iron Gate Dr.
Jillian Way
Joseph St.
Juniper Rd.
Launching Rd.
Laurel Ln.
Ledge Rd.
Matthew St.
Mercury Circle
Monette Cir.
Murray Hill Ln.
Noel Rd.
Nollet Dr.
North St.
Norwich Pl.
Old River Rd.
Pauline Dr.
Paulomette Circle
Peterof Circle
Pettingill Ave.
Pheasant Run
Possom Hollow Rd.
Ravens Bluff
Richard Circle
River Rd.
Samos Ln.
Somerset Dr.
Southridge Cir.
Starrwood Crossing
Stevens St off of Webster
Suffolk Cir.
Sutton Way
Trinity Ct.
Webster St.
Winchester Dr.
Woodhaven Dr.

FRIDAY

Argyle St.
Arthur Rd.
Arundel St.
Balmoral St.
Beech Circle
Brehm Terr.
Burnham Rd.
Carisbrooke St.
Carlisle St.
Cassmere St.
Cindy Ln.
Castle Heights Rd.
Crescent Dr.
Cyr Circle
Dufmont Rd.
Dumbarton St.
Enmore St.
Fleming Ave.
Flint Circle
Haverhill St.
High St. (Walnut to Lawrence)
Joyce Terr.
Kenilworth St. (N. Main to Riverina)
Liberty St.
Lillian Terr.
Lincoln Circle
Lincoln St.
Linwood St.
Marilyn Rd.
Marylou Ln.
North Main St. (Harding to Rt. 133)
Olde Berry Rd.
Riverina Rd.
Rock O Dundee Rd.
Sargent St.
Shawsheen Rd.
Smithshire Estates
Stevens St.
Stirling St.
Sutherland St.
Theodore Ave.
Village Way
Whittemore Ter.
York St.

COLLECTION CALENDAR

JULY 2018

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AUGUST 2018

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NOVEMBER 2018

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DECEMBER 2018

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Legal Holidays—Collection following Holiday will be one day later

Curbside Leaf Pickup: (Dates in **Bold/Italicized**)

Fall: 10/15 - 11/30/2018 (no collection week of Thanksgiving)
Spring: 4/22 - 6/2/2019



HHW Collection - November 3rd, 2018



Electronics Collection - September 29th, 2018

JANUARY 2019

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FEBRUARY 2019

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APRIL 2019

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MAY 2019

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JUNE 2019

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MONDAY

Agawam Ln.
Alison Way
Appletree Ln.
Archer Ln.
Arrowood Ln.
Athena Circle
Bancroft Rd.
Black Horse Ln.
Blueberry Circle
Blueberry Hill
Brentwood Circle
Bypass Rd.
Cameron Rd.
Charles Circle
Chatham Rd.
Corderre Way
College Circle
Coventry Ln.
Delphi Circle
Douglas Ln.
Eagle Way
Embassy Ln.
Farrwood Dr.
Forest Dr.
Frederick St.
Glen Cove Rd.
Gould Rd.
Gray Rd.
Great Heron Pl.
Harold Parker Rd.
Harper Circle
Harwich Ln.
Haven Dr.
Holt Rd.
Hunter Dr.
Ivy Ln.
Jenkins Rd.
Korinthian Way
Linda Rd.
Meadowbrook Dr.
Mohawk Dr.
Montego Circle
Moreland Ave.
Mortimer Dr.
Nancy Circle
Olympia Way
Orchard St.
Penobscot Way
Phoenix Pl.
Pinecrest Rd.
Piper's Glen
Rachel Rd.
Random Ln.
Rocky Hill Rd.
Sagamore Dr.
Salem St. (Rte 125 to N. Andover)
Sandy Brook Circle
Sawyers Ln.
Seneca Circle
Sequoia Ln.
Seton Circle
Shaw Dr.
Sheridan Rd.
Skopelos Cir.
Stinson Rd.
Suncrest Rd.
Tampas Ln.
Tobey Ln.
Tucker Rd.
Vine St.
Wagon Wheel Rd.
West Knoll Rd.
Wethersfield Dr.
Wildwood Rd.

TUESDAY

Acropolis Circle
Alderbrook Rd.
Andover St. (Woburn to
Dascomb)
Arcadia Rd.
Azalea Dr.
Bannister Rd.
Belknap Dr.
Boston Rd.
Bradley Rd.
Bristol Ln.
Carter Ln.
Center St.
Charlotte Dr.
Chester St.
Church St.
Clark Rd.
Clinton Ct.
Clover Circle
Copley Dr.
Cottage Rd.
Countryside Way
County Rd.
Dale St.
Donna Rd.
Doric Way
Dundas Ave.
Fern Rd.
Foster Pond Rd.
Garfield Ln.
Germano Way
Glenwood Rd.
Gregory Cir.
Hall Ave.
Hawk Ridge Rd.
High Vale Ln.
Island Way
Laconia Dr.
Lavender Hill Ln.
Lowell Junction Rd.
Marland St.
Messinia Dr.
Mitton Circle
Molly Rd.
Morningside Dr.
Nicoll Dr.
Oak St.
Odyssey Way
Parthenon Circle
Peach Tree Path
Peppercorn Ln.
Pine Cone Ln.
Pine Tree Ln.
Pole Hill Dr.
Pomeroy Rd.
Powers Rd.
Raddcliff Dr.
Rattlesnake Hill Rd.
Redgate Dr.
Regency Ridge
River Park Terr.
River St.
Roulston Circle
Shandell Circle
Sleepy Hollow Ln.
Snowberry Rd.
Sparta Way
Sunset Rock (Ballardvale
to Alderbrook)
Tewksbury St.
Waverly Dr.
Willard Circle
White Oak Dr.
Yardley Rd.

WEDNESDAY

Acorn Dr.
Algonquin Ave.
Alonesos Way
Apple Blossom Rd.
Barbara Ln.
Barron Ct.
Basswood Ln.
Bellevue Rd.
Blanchard St.
Bridle Path Rd.
Brown St.
Buttonwood Dr.
Candlewood Dr.
Cardinal Ln.
Cardigan Road
Carriage Hill Rd.
Chais Circle
Cherokee Circle
Cheyenne Circle
Comanche Pl.
Cottonwood Circle
Crestwood Dr.
Crystal Cir.
Dascomb Rd. (Blood to
Tewksbury)
Dale Dr.
Dean Circle
Deca Circle
Devonshire Pl.
Durham Dr.
Evergreen Ln.
Exeter Way
Fairway Dr.
Frontage Rd.
Fulton Circle
Geneva Rd.
Glen Meadow Rd.
Granli Dr.
Greenwood Rd. (133 to
High Plain)
Hackney Circle
Haggetts Pond Rd.
(Bellevue to Lowell)
Hansom Rd.
Harmony Ln.
Hazelwood Circle
Hearthstone Pl.
Iroquois Ave.
Jordyn Ln.
Keystone Way
Lancaster Pl.
Landau Ln.
Lansbury Ln.
Lenox Pl.
Lovejoy Rd.
Lowell St. (Lovejoy to
Tewksbury)
Marigold Ln.
Newport Cir.
Osgood St.
Partridge Hill Rd.
Patricia Circle
Phaeton Circle
Preston Circle
Rasmussen Circle
Regis Rd.
Russett Ln.
Seminole Circle
Shawnee Circle
Sioux Circle
Starwood Crossing
Steeple Ct.
Stouffer Circle
Surrey Ln.
Talbot Rd.
Tallyho Ln.
Tessier Dr.
Tiffany Ln.
Wabanaki Way
Whiffletree Circle
Will O Way

THURSDAY

Alpine Dr.
Ashford Ln.
Aspen Circle
Atwood Ln.
Avella Circle
Avery Ln.
Bailey Rd.
Belle Haven Dr.
Berkeley Ln.
Bittersweet Ln.
Black Birch Way
Boutwell Rd.
Brady Loop
Brierwood Circle
Cherrywood Circle
Cobblestone Ln.
Cross St.
Deerberry Ln.
Deerfield Way
Doyle Circle
Ellsworth Rd.
Fiske St.
Forest Hill Dr.
Fraser Dr.
Fremont Ln.
Gavin Circle
Gina Jo Way
Golden Oaks
Governors Dr.
Granada Way
Greenbrier Circle
Greybirch Rd.
Hacienda Way
Haggetts Pond Rd.
(Lowell to Pleasant)
Hampton Ln.
Hay Bale Rd.
High Plain Rd.
(Greenwood to end)
Highmeadow Rd.
Hitchcock Farm Rd.
Holmes Rd.
Kalia Circle
Knollcrest Dr.
Lakeside Circle
Lamancha Way
Langley Ln.
Larchmont Circle
Monahan Ln.
Montclair Ave.
Mulberry Circle
Nicholas Circle
Old School House Rd.
Penbrook Circle
Pendant Ct.
Penni Ln.
Pepperidge Circle
Pleasant St.
Quail Run
Ridge Hill Way
Rindge Rd.
Rutgers Rd.
Sandalwood Ln.
Sevilla Rd.
Sheffield Circle
Starr Ave.
Stoneybrook Circle
Sugarbush Ln.
Wedgewood Dr.
Wellington Circle
Wintergreen Circle
Woodhill Rd.
Woodman Ridge Rd.
Zamboni Terr.

FRIDAY

Allen Rd.
Amherst Rd.
Andover Country
Club Ln.
Ayer St.
Binney St.
Bobby Jones Dr.
Bowdoin Rd.
Canterbury St.
Celia St.
Chadwick Circle
Chandler Circle
Corbett St.
Corniers Way
Cornell Rd.
Dartmouth Rd.
Endicott Rd.
Farnham Circle
Ferndale Ave.
Franklin Ave.
George St.
Harvard Rd.
Haskell Rd.
Iceland Rd.
Juliette St.
Kenilworth St. (N. Main
to Poor St)
Kensington St.
Kirkland Dr.
Lowell St. -- (#1 to
Beacon St)
Magnolia Ave.
Marwood Dr.
McKenney Circle
North Main St. (133 to
Lawrence)
Poor St.
Princeton Ave.
Scotland Dr.
Shadow Ln.
Shepley St.
Shelbourne St.
Stafford Ln.
Topping Rd.
Trevino Circle
Union St.
Walker Ave.
Warwick Circle
Wescott Rd.
Westminster Roadway
William St.
Windsor St.
Worthing Pl.
Yale Rd.

HOLIDAYS ~ The following affect regular trash and recycling pickup for 2018—2019

Independence Day (4th of July). Labor Day . Columbus Day . Veterans Day . Thanksgiving Day. Christmas. New Year's
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day . Washington's Birthday (Presidents Day) . Patriots Day . Memorial Day

COLLECTION FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS ABOVE, WILL BE ONE DAY LATER. SCHOOL CLOSINGS AND OTHER RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS **DO NOT** AFFECT THE SCHEDULE

SPECIAL ITEMS - Year Round Drop-off

SHARPS & NEEDLES

Disposal Sites:

Center at Punchard
30 Whittier Ct

Andover Public Safety
32 N Main Street

Instructions:

Please be sure that sharps are disposed of in:

- *small sharps container*
- *small puncture proof container*
- *lid must be secured - screwed on or taped shut*
- *Please do not leave containers on or around the Kiosk*
- **NO MEDICATIONS**



For more information, visit: AndoverMa.Gov/Sharps

MEDICATION DISPOSAL

Andover Public Safety has a kiosk for the sole purpose for disposal of unused prescription and non-prescription drugs. Vitamins and veterinary medications are also accepted. Please be sure they are in a secure container.

Disposal Site:
Andover Public Safety
32 N Main Street

Do Not Include:

- Needles and sharps
- Liquids
- IV equipment
- Chemotherapy drugs



For information on The National Prescription Drug Take Back Day, please visit: takebackday.dea.gov

MERCURY & BATTERIES

AVAILABLE DAILY DROP-OFF SITES AND ALLOWABLE ITEMS

TOWN OFFICES - Health Department

- Mercury products, Button and small standard size Lithium & Rechargeable Batteries (standard sizes)

WATER TREATMENT PLANT

- Mercury products, Button and small standard size Lithium & Rechargeable Batteries

SENIOR CENTER—Information Desk

- Cell Phones, Button Batteries

****MERCURY PRODUCTS** include, but are not limited to: thermometers, old thermostats, blood pressure machines, barometers. For more information please visit www.keepmercuryfromrising.org

Please Note:

• **Thermometers containing liquid that IS NOT silver in color do not contain mercury.** The non-silver liquid-in-glass thermometers typically contain a colored alcohol which is safe for curbside disposal.

• **ALKALINE AND STANDARD HEAVY DUTY** batteries are allowed in household trash, they are not accepted at Special Collections or Town Offices. These are typically Non-Rechargeable everyday use types. Since Andover's trash is sent to an incinerator, it is safe to dispose of them in your curbside trash.

• **LEAD ACID BATTERIES OF ANY TYPE/SIZE** - Bring to Electronics Collections (page 9).

BALD HILL COMPOST SITE - SEASONAL

COMPOST SITE *Permits Required. Permits NOT sold at Bald Hill Location (see below)*

The compost site accepts grass clippings, leaves, green garden waste and brush as outlined below:

- Maximum diameter of six (6) inches
- Maximum length of four (4) feet
- Must not contain cables, cable anchors, nails or any other metal objects
- You are responsible for removing the materials from your vehicle

- **No plastic bags allowed**

****RESIDENTIAL YARD WASTE ONLY—NO COMMERCIAL WASTE****

A Permit is required to drop off leaves, grass clippings and brush, as well as to pick up compost and wood chips.

Permits Sold, 8am—4pm at :

Facilities Department -36 Bartlet St.

&

Public Works Department -397 Lowell St

Please bring your vehicle registration and cash or check (no credit cards)

Andover Residents ONLY

Bald Hill Location: 288 High Plain Rd

Opens Seasonally, Spring—Fall

(actual dates weather dependent)

Open:

- Wednesdays and Fridays Noon - 3 p.m.
- Saturdays and Sundays 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

For more information please visit: AndoverMa.Gov/BaldHillCompost

Interested in composting at home? Visit www.epa.gov/recycle/composting-home to learn about the benefits of composting and tips to get you started.

HHW and CRT/ELECTRONICS EVENTS

for collection dates, times and costs, please visit the links below.

Per Item Fees Apply - Business waste NOT accepted

HHW **(HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE)**

- Varnishes, Stains and Solvents
- Oil Base Paints Only
- Herbicides/Pesticides
- Pool Chemicals
- Mercury Items
- Pressurized Cans
- Waste Oil & Gasoline
- Propane Tanks

DO NOT BRING: Latex Paint, Electronics, White Goods, Appliances

AndoverMa.Gov/HHW

ELECTRONICS/CRT

- Computer CPU's and Monitors
- Televisions
- Microwave Ovens
- Lead Acid Batteries
- Fluorescent Lights
- Air Conditioners
- Humidifiers / De-Humidifiers
- Misc Electronics

DO NOT BRING: Propane Tanks, Large White Goods / Appliances

AndoverMa.Gov/CRT

NO CREDIT CARDS (Cash or Check Only)

PROOF OF RESIDENCY REQUIRED

OTHER ITEMS

NO DROP OFF - NO CURBSIDE

APPLIANCES

Large household appliances are not allowed with regular trash nor are they recyclable curbside.

They include but are not limited to: refrigerators, stoves, washers, dryers, dishwashers, heaters, air-conditioners, humidifiers/de-humidifiers, hot water heaters, micro-waves, etc.

Residents are responsible for appliance disposal and payment. Check under Private Disposal Options local advertisements and the Yellow Pages.

FLUORESCENT BULBS (INCLUDING CFLs)

- No regular curbside or drop off available in Andover
- Check with or local hardware or Home Improvement stores for CFL and other florescent light drop off availability and cost.

•**Bring to the Electronics Collections ONLY**

Incandescent light bulbs are OK to put in curbside trash collection

BATTERIES (NON ALKALINE)

- No regular curbside or drop off available in Andover for Lead Acid Batteries of ANY SIZE/TYPE or large rechargeable batteries (for laptops, tools etc.)
- Check with Home Improvement stores or local hardware stores for battery drop off availability and cost
- Bring to the Electronics Collections ONLY**

Alkaline batteries are OK to put in curbside trash collection

- Please see page 8 for button, lithium & standard size rechargeable batteries

LAWN MOWERS/SNOWBLOWERS

Lawn mowers, Snow blowers or other oil and gas motorized equipment cannot be put out curbside. View the list of Private Disposal Options is shown on page 11, local advertisements and the Yellow Pages.

METALS

Small quantities of metal will be accepted with regular household trash. Larger quantities are suggested to go to a metal salvage yard.

PROPANE TANKS

- 20# Propane tanks are **NOT** accepted curbside
- Contact your local hardware store for drop-off and exchange information
- Bring to the HHW Collections ONLY** - See page 9 for details

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS

Construction & Demolition Debris, C&D, is banned from the waste stream and will not be collected curbside. C&D consists of but is not limited to; asphalt, brick, concrete, cabinetry, windows, doors, skylights, roofing, sheetrock, siding, all fences, electric wiring, radiators/baseboard heaters, insulation, piping, etc.

You will need to make arrangements with either your contractor to dispose of the waste or privately contract with a disposal service. A list of **Private Disposal Options** is shown on page 11.

Asbestos is required to be disposed of via a licensed Asbestos contractor. For more information you can visit www.mass.gov/dep

TEXTILES

There are several drop-off bins throughout Town. See Page 11 (bottom) for options.

TIRES

Tires are banned from the regular trash and are not recyclable curbside. Residents are responsible for their disposal. A list of **Private Disposal Options** is shown on page 11, or check the Yellow Pages and local advertisements for tire disposal.

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Quality fire extinguishers (most are metal) in good condition can be recharged. Inexpensive fire extinguishers (most are plastic) and those in poor condition cannot be recharged.

Look under "Fire Extinguishers" in the Yellow Pages for a company that can recharge or call your local hardware store to see if they offer this service.

WASTE MOTOR OIL

WHEN: 1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month
 WHERE: North Andover DPW Garage
 384 Osgood Street
 Telephone: 978-685-0950
 COST: \$.50 per gallon
 HOURS: 9:00 am—12:00 noon

PRIVATE DISPOSAL OPTIONS

Residents are responsible for arrangements and costs associated with disposal.

PICK-UP SERVICES BELOW ~ Call for what is accepted

1-800-GOT-JUNK	800-468-5865	All solid waste (non-hazardous items)
collegehunkshaulingjunk.com/	888-689-5999	All solid waste (non-hazardous items)
www.trash123.com/	617-435-7979	Demolition, Dumpsters and Removal Services
* Northeast Material Handling - Ayer, MA <i>*Offers both pick-up and drop-off services</i>	978-521-9595	All solid waste (non-hazardous items) Large Appliances (White Goods), Electronics
* NEDT - Sutton & Westfield, MA <i>*Offers both pick-up and drop-off services</i>	866-769-1621	Household Hazardous Products, Computers & Electronics, CRT's, Fire Extinguishers
DROP OFF LOCATIONS BELOW ~ Call for what is accepted		
Mello Transfer Station - Georgetown, MA	978-352-9948	All solid waste (non-hazardous items) and offers recycling area
Haverhill Metal Salvage - Haverhill, MA	978-372-6900	Ferrous & Non-ferrous metals, Electronic Scrap, Water/air tanks, drained motors/ transmissions
LL & S Disposal (ReEnergy) - Salem, NH	603-898-4089	solid, non-hazardous construction and demolition (C&D) materials

DONATION OPTIONS

Tax-exempt 501(c) organizations. Residents are responsible for arrangements and costs associated with donations and pick-ups. Please call for accepted items and conditions.

The Wish Project - Lowell, MA	978-441-WISH (9474)	basic furniture, home, baby and clothing items, small/med appliances; TV's for a fee
* Epilepsy Foundation - Wilmington, MA <i>*Offers both pick-up and drop-off services</i>	888-322-8209	clothing, home items, small appliances/ electronics, books, bedding, toys, sporting goods, seasonal items
Ruth's House - Haverhill, MA	978-521-5575	basic furniture, home, baby and clothing items, small-med appliances, toys
Habitat For Humanity Restore -Lawrence, MA	978-686-3323	gently used furniture, appliances, housewares, building materials and more
Planet Aid - Milford, MA (<i>S.N.E. Hub</i>) Visit planetaid.org/find-a-bin To locate the most convenient bin	508-893-0644 <i>For bulk donation and apartment building pick ups call:</i> 888-893-0648	Clothing and textiles in any condition; <u>holes, stains, or tears are OK</u>

SPECIAL ITEM PROGRAMS

Mass Save Masssave.com	1-877-889-4761 (Refrigerator and Freezer pickup)	Residential Rebates and Incentives including rebates for Refrigerator/ Freezer Recycling and Home Energy Assessments
Electronics Takeback Coalition electronicstakeback.com	Email: info@takeback.org	Visit Their website for Manufacturer Takeback Programs in the U.S.
Plastic Film Recycling (W.R.A.P.) plasticfilmrecycling.org	Email: help@plasticfilmrecycling.org	View the website for what plastic bags and film can be recycled and the location finder
National Do Not Mail List directmail.com/mail_preference/	Email: donotmaillist@directmail.com	Reduce junk mail by registering on the National Do Not Mail List -fill out the form online

****The Town of Andover does not contract with nor make recommendations for any companies or organizations listed on this page. The list is solely a resource for the residents and subject to change without notice.**

TOWN OF ANDOVER

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Do you have feed back or questions specifically related to this guide? Find a broken link? Is your question not addressed? We'd love to hear from you! Please contact us directly at recycle@andoverma.us

The Department of Public Works

Department Information

Location: 397 Lowell Street

Main Office : (978) 623-8700

Fax: (978) 623-8799

Main Email: dpw@andoverma.gov

Regular office hours:

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Monday -Friday

Divisions

Engineering: 978-623-8770

Facilities & Field Rentals: 978-623-8727

Highway: 978-623-8800

Parks & Grounds and Forestry: 978-623-8830

Spring Grove Cemetery: 978-623-8840

Recycling & Solid Waste: 978-623-8701

Water Distribution & Sewer Collection: 978-623-8860

Water Treatment Plant: 978-623-8870

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

The Town is continuing to implement a Stormwater Management Program to improve water quality by reducing the discharge of pollutants from storm water runoff into local storm drains, rivers, ponds, streams and other receiving waterbodies. The following information is provided as part of the Public Education component.

ILLICIT DISCHARGE DETECTION AND ELIMINATION

What is an illicit discharge?

An illicit discharge is the discharge of pollutants or non-stormwater materials into a storm drain system via overland flow, direct dumping, or illegal connections. Illicit discharges may be a result of industrial activity, deposits of oil on parking lots, excess lawn fertilizer and yard clippings, and a variety of other sources which pollute water with turbidity, excess nutrients, and bacteria. Illicit discharges can also be from failing septic systems or improperly connected sewer lines. Dumping anything other than stormwater into a storm drain allows these pollutants to enter lakes and streams causing public health concerns, harm to wildlife, and unpleasant odors or color. Developing an illicit discharge detection and elimination program (IDDE) to find and eliminate these sources is mandated by the US EPA under the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Permit.

Sources of Illicit Discharges

- Sanitary wastewater (sewage)
- Septic tank waste or overflows
- Car wash, laundry, and industrial wastewaters
- Improper disposal of auto and household toxics, such as motor oil, antifreeze, and pesticides
- Spills on roadways and other accidents

How can you help?

- Never dump anything down a storm drain.
- Dispose of yard and pet waste properly.
- Avoid excess use of pesticides and lawn fertilizers.
- Wash your car at a car wash facility.
- Make sure sanitary, laundry, carwash, and industrial wastewaters do not drain to the storm drain system.
- Have your septic tank pumped and inspected at least once every two years.

Contact the Engineering Dept. @ 978-623-8770 to report any unusual storm drain flows that have a noticeable odor, discoloration, or oily sheen. Visit AndoverMa.Gov/Stormwater for more information

~HELP KEEP OUR STORM DRAINS CLEAN~